

Report of the FIG Foundation 2007

1. Administration

The FIG Foundation is located in the FIG office in Copenhagen.

A Board of Directors chaired by the President of the FIG Foundation makes the decisions of the Foundation. In the period 2007 to 2010 the Board of Directors is:

- John Hohol, President of the FIG Foundation (USA)
- Prof. Michael Barry, Director (Canada)
- Iain Greenway, Director (Ireland)
- Prof. Bela Markus, Director (Hungary)
- Ken Allred, Director and Council Representative (Canada)

Further Mr. Jack Dangermond, President and Founder of ESRI, has been acting as an Honorary Chair of the Foundation Fundraising Campaign.

The FIG Council has endorsed the new Statutes of the FIG Foundation in January 2008. The new statutes are included in the new publication of statutes and internal rules which are given to the General Assembly in Stockholm.

2. Programmes with Corporate Members

There are two grant programmes under the FIG and the FIG Foundation:

- The ESRI/FIG Grant Programme was introduced in 2002
- The Intergraph/FIG Grant Programme was introduced in 2003 including different categories of grants.

3. Donations in 2007

The FIG Foundation has received following donations at the FIG Working Week in Hong Kong and the FIG Regional Conference in Costa Rica:

- Donations from Working Week Hong Kong	€ 3,239
- Voluntary donations from Hong Kong	€ 545
- Donations from Costa Rica	€ 2,050
- Voluntary donations from Costa Rica	<u>€ 565</u>
In total	€ 6,399

List of voluntary donators

FIG Working Week

Hong Kong SAR, China

Iain Greenway
Andrew Morley
Robert Foster
Gyula Ivan
Szabolcs Mihaly
Karl Friedrich Thoene
Ang Co Trinh
John McCarthy
Sourou Dick James Gangnihessou
Leopold Houankou
Awaii Tibril Seidou
Edmond Toffa
Alice Yang
Tsung-I Shen
Robert Sinkner
Libor Tomandl
Kjeld Lohmann Schoeler
Andras Ossko
Nirmalendu Kumar
Heru Setyoadjie
T S Winarso
Masao Ishihara
Ulrik Westman
Kongkham Sourigna
Jacob Ehiorobo
Valeriu Manolache
Larry Hothem
Adekunle Tajudeen Olaybiyi

FIG Regional Conference

Costa Rica

José Albornoz Leiva
Ken Allred
Svante Asterno
Volker Boeder
Angela Etuonovbe
Robert Foster
Rosa Angélica Ladino Parra
Bjarte Mjøs Leiv
Andrew Morley
David Kayode Oluwamotemi
Ionut Savoiu
Karl-Werner Schulte
Gisela Schulte-Daxböck
Kari Strande
Chime Ugochukwu
Neil Weston
Mark Wijngaarde
Martin Wubbe

4. Grants 2007

The FIG Foundation received this year twelve applications. The Board of Directors decided to give three grants to individuals. The size of the grant varies according to the project. The grants were admitted to following projects:

- Sara J Wilkinson and Richard Reed (Australia): Student Perceptions of Professional Surveying Bodies (3,000 EUR)
- Ganesh Prasad Bhatta (Nepal): Cadastral Surveying 'For the People, By the People: Developing a Participatory Model for Cadastral Resurveying in Nepal (2,750 EUR)
- Dev Raj Paudyal (India): Low cost pro-poor land management techniques in developing countries: A case study in Nepal and India (2,000 EUR).

Special Foundation Grant to support young surveyors' attendance to the Young Surveyors Workshop in Cairo € 3,421.

The total amount of grants in 2007 was € 11,171.

The Board of Directors has announced the grants from the FIG Foundation for 2008. Applications shall be submitted to the FIG Foundation at the FIG Office **by 15 May 2008**. The FIG Foundation offers total grants up to € 20,000 in 2008.

5. Accounts 2007

The income statement for 2007 and the balance sheet at 31 December 2007 are attached to this report.

The total income in 2007 was € 10,614 and expenses € 11,220 which gives the net result of - € 606

The total assets are € 122,157

John Hohol

President of the FIG Foundation
March 2008

Web page: www.fig.net/foundation

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Income statement for 2007

<u>Note</u>	<u>2007</u> EUR	<u>2006</u> EUR
Donations		
Personal donations	565	486
Other donations	3.784	20.815
FIG Conferences, Regional conferences	2.050	4.493
Financial income	4.215	3.627
Total income	10.614	29.421
Expenses		
Grants	11.171	6.938
Bank costs	50	104
Fluctuation	0	1
Total expenses	11.220	7.043
Loss / Surplus for the year	-606	22.378

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Balance sheet at 31 December 2007

Assets	<u>Note</u>	2007 EUR	2006 EUR
Current assets			
Receivables			
Account receivable, FIG		197	2.825
Other receivables		3.418	502
Total receivables		<u>3.615</u>	<u>3.327</u>
Liquid funds		<u>118.542</u>	<u>119.457</u>
Total current assets		<u>122.157</u>	<u>122.784</u>
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 Equity and liabilities			
Equity			
Equity in the beginning of the year		116.767	94.333
Fluctuations		-22	56
Retained earnings		-606	22.378
Total equity		<u>116.139</u>	<u>116.767</u>
 Liabilities			
Short-term liabilities			
Other debt		6.018	6.017
Total short-term liabilities		<u>6.018</u>	<u>6.017</u>
Total liabilities		<u>6.018</u>	<u>6.017</u>
Total equity and liabilities		<u>122.157</u>	<u>122.784</u>